

Turkey Dough

TACTILE RECIPE



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YOU WILL NEED:

- ✓ 1/2 cup of table salt
- ✓ 1/2 cup of flour
- ✓ 1/4 cup of water
- ✓ Medium sized bowl
- ✓ 2 googly eyes
- ✓ Pipe Cleaner for nose
- ✓ Construction paper for waddle & feet
- ✓ Food Coloring (yellow, red, green)
- ✓ Garden Rotini Noodles (multi-colored)



DIRECTIONS:

1. Mix the table salt and flour together in a bowl.
2. Measure water. Add food coloring to water to make brown (3 yellow, 3 green, & 3 drops red). May need to add more drops of each coloring.
3. Slowly add the water to the salt and flour mixture.
4. Knead the mixture until the dough is moist and doughy.
5. You may need to add a little water if dough is too dry.
6. For softer dough add a little more flour, for coarse dough add a little more salt.
7. Form into a small ball of dough for the turkey's head, and a larger ball for the turkey sculptures body.
8. Add 2 googly eyes, nose, feet (cut out from orange construction paper), and garden rotini noodle's to complete your turkey.
9. The completed projects will require several hours to air dry.

FUN TIPS:

- Some children may initially resist mixing the ingredients with their fingers.
- Allow the child to use a spoon until he or she develops a tolerance.
- Gently entice your child to use the dough to create and explore.
- This dough may be used for squeezing, pounding, rolling and using cookie cutter and plastic knives.